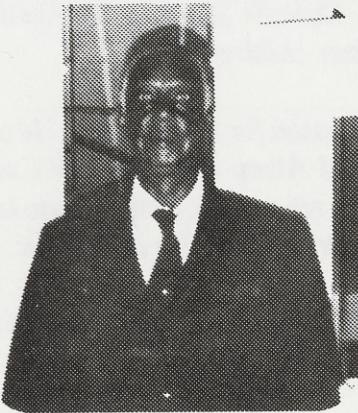


*In
Loving Memory
of
Bit Jourdan*

*Sunrise
December 4, 1917*

*Sunset
May 29, 1998*



"To every thing there is a season, and a time to every purpose under the heaven: A time to be born, and a time to die; a time to plant, and a time to pluck up that which is planted."

Ecclesiastes 3:1-2

Services Held

*Friday, June 5, 1998
2:00 p.m.*

*Rose Manor Chapel
3331 Macdonald Avenue • Richmond, California*

*Officiating
Brother Wooling*

Obituary

Bit Jourdan was born on December 4, 1916, to the late Jesse and Lela Jourdan in Haynesville, Louisiana. He received his childhood upbringing in Louisiana.

In the early 1930's, Bit united in marriage with the late Katie Lee Sumlin. This union produced three children: Paul, Helen and Claud Ray.

As a young man he came to California in 1945, where he united in marriage with Ophelia Jermany on April 28, 1951. This union produced four children.

Bit worked construction for many years. He was employed by Gordon H. Ball and Albay Construction Companies. He retired in 1976. After retirement he went into business for himself as an Auto Wrecker until his departure.

Bit was the father of seven children, two of which preceded him in death, Paul and Claud Ray.

Bit Jourdan leaves to cherish his memory, a loving wife Ophelia Jourdan, one son Clarence Gene; four daughters: Helen Stamps, Annie Jourdan, Linda Chocklin and Estella Harris. One sister Mattie Faye Harris; one brother Sam Salter; one daughter-in-law Beatrice Jourdan, and three sons-in law: Kermit Stamps, William Harris and Clarence Chocklin. Fourteen grandchildren, eleven great grandchildren, seven sisters-in-law, five brothers-in-law, and a host of nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.



Order of Service

Processional

Scripture *Brother Wooling*

Prayer *Brother Wooling*

Piano Solo *A. D. Roberts*

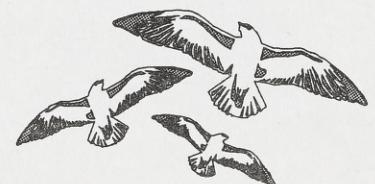
Obituary *(read silently)*

Solo

Eulogy *Clarence Jordan, Jr.*

Parting View *Rose Manor Staff*

Recessional



*Interment
Rolling Hill Memorial Cemetery
Richmond, California*

Faith

*Faith can move mountains, No matter how steep,
And calm the rough water, no matter how deep.*

*Faith can change darkness to heavenly light,
While leading us tranquility out of the night.*

*All this I can grant, with assurance, you see,
For countless are the mountains faith has moved for me.*

Pallbearers

*William Harris
Frank Alexander
William Hall*

*Lonnie Wright
Gregory Jones
Hayward Williams*

Honorary Pallbearers

*Gary Crowder
Erik Alfred
Tom Stevens*

*Terry Alfred
James Jones
Kermit Stamps*

Acknowledgment

The Jourdan Family thank you for all the kind things that you have done for us in our time of grief. Whether it was a beautiful card, a floral piece, a kind word spoken, or just a thought of us during this trying time, we appreciate your concern. May God bless you.



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